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**Richard J. Leon**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Col Holy Cross 1971 AB; Suffolk 1974 JD; Harvard 1981 LLM  
Began Service: March 20, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor of Law, The Law Center, Georgetown University

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Massachusetts Superior Court (1974-1975); Law Clerk The Honorable Thomas Kelleher, Rhode Island Supreme Court (1975-1976)

**Government:** Special Assistant U.S. Attorney, New York - Southern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1977-1978); Deputy Chief Minority Counsel, Iran-Contra Committee, United States House of Representatives (1987-1988); Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice (1988-1989); Chief Minority Counsel, Committee on Foreign Affairs, United States House of Representatives (1992-1993); Special Counsel, Whitewater Investigation, Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, United States House of Representatives (1994); Special Counsel, Ethics Reform Task Force, United States House of Representatives (1997)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Baker & Hostetler LLP (1989-1999); Partner, Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP (1999-2002)

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**Rosemary M. Collyer**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: November 19, 1945  
Education: Trinity Col (DC) 1968 BA; Denver 1977 JD  
Began Service: January 2, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Chairman, Federal Mine and Safety Health Review Commission, District of Columbia (1981-1984); General Counsel, National Labor Relations Board, District of Columbia (1984-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Sherman & Howard L.L.C. (1977-1981); Partner, Crowell & Moring LLP (1989-2002)

**Current Memberships:** The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; Colorado Bar Association

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**Louis F. Oberdorfer**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1919  
Education: Dartmouth 1939 AB; Yale 1946 LLB  
Began Service: 1977  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Visiting Lecturer, Law School, Yale University (1966-1971); Adjunct Professor, Georgetown University (1993-1997)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Hugo Black, Supreme Court of the United States (1946-1947)

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1961-1965)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP (1947-1951); Attorney, Wilmer Cutler & Pickering LLP (1954-1961); Attorney, Wilmer Cutler & Pickering LLP (1965-1977)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1941-1946)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Birmingham Bar Association; The District of Columbia Bar; Federal Bar Association; The Historical Society of the District of Columbia Circuit

**Chambers of Senior Judge Thomas F. Hogan**

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**Thomas F. Hogan**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Georgetown 1960 AB, 1966 JD  
Began Service: October 4, 1982  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Assistant Professor, Potomac School of Law (1977-1979); Adjunct Professor, The Law Center, Georgetown University (1986-1987)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William B. Jones, United States District Court for the District of Columbia (1966-1967)

**Government:** Counsel, National Commission on Reform of Federal Criminal Law (1967-1968); Public Member, Board of Examiners for the Foreign Service, United States Department of State

**Judicial:** Member, Board of Directors, Federal Judicial Center (1996-2000); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Columbia (2001-2008)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, McCarthy and Wharton (1968-1975); Partner, Kenary, Tietz & Hogan (1975-1981); Partner, Furey, Doolan, Abell & Hogan (1981-1982)

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**Deborah A. Robinson**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: July 12, 1953  
Education: Morgan State BA; Emory 1978 JD  
Began Service: July 1988  
Term Expires: July 17, 2012

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable H. Carl Moultrie, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1978-1979)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Columbia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1979-1988)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The William B. Bryant American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; The District of Columbia Bar

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**Alan Kay**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: George Washington 1957 BA, 1959 JD  
Began Service: 1991  
Term Expires: December 2016

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Alexander Holtzoff, United States District Court for the District of Columbia (1960); Law Clerk The Honorable William B. Jones, United States District Court for the District of Columbia (1962-1963)

**Government:** Public Defender, District of Columbia (1960-1962); Assistant United States Attorney, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1963-1966); Associate, Office of General Counsel, United States Department of Commerce, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1966-1967)

**Legal Practice:** Bregman, Abell & Kay (1967-1991)

**Military Service:** District of Columbia National Guard

**Current Memberships:** The American Inns of Court; The District of Columbia Bar; National Conference of Bar Examiners; The Virginia Bar Association

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**Gladys Kessler**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Cornell 1959 BA; Harvard 1962 LLB  
Began Service: 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Staff Attorney, National Labor Relations Board (1962-1964); Legislative Assistant (D-NJ), Office of Senator Harrison A. Williams, United States Senate (1964-1966); Legislative Assistant (D-NY, District 22), Office of Representative Jonathan B. Bingham, United States House of Representatives (1966-1968); Staff Attorney, Office of Labor Relations, New York City Board of Education (1969)

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1977-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Roisman, Kessler & Cashdan (1969-1977)

**Current Memberships:** Frederick B. Abrahamson Memorial Foundation; American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Judicial Administration Division, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The District of Columbia Bar; Einstein Institute for Science, Health and the Courts; National Association of Women Judges; National Center for State Courts

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**James Robertson**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1938  
Education: Princeton 1959 BA; George Washington 1965 LLB  
Began Service: 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The District of Columbia Bar; Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia